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Decorated Red Barn
Just off State Route 100
Pottstown vicinity (between Pottstown and Boyertown)
Montgomery County
Pennsylvania

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Charles H. Dornbusch, A.I.A., photographer Summer of 1941.

Photographed for the 1941 Pennsylvania German Barn project sponsored by the American Institute of Architects.

PA-5253-1 GENERAL VIEW. SIDING PAINTED RED; NOTE WHITE-PAINTED HEX SIGNS AND DOOR AND WINDOW PEDIMENT HEADS

PA-5253-2 BRICK END ELEVATION WITH X VENTILATORS, RED-PAINTED GABLE WITH WHITE STARS AND A DOORWAY HOOD. ALSO SHOWS PORTION OF REAR ELEVATION WITH X VENTILATORS

NOTE: In 1956 Mr. Dornbusch published a follow-up article, "Pennsylvania German Barns", in the Pennsylvania German Folklore Society, Vol. XXI. This article includes an introduction, a large selection of photographs of the barns representative of the different types, and a descriptive text. It is highly recommended for research work.